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Inventors: Alexander Gelbman Filing Date: February 7, 2002 Attorney Docket No. VTW-007

Dear Sir:

I enclose herewith for filing in the above-identified application the following:

- 1. Response to Notice to File Missing Parts (in duplicate);
- 2. Executed Declaration, Petition and Power of Attorney;
- 3. Fourteen (14) sheets of formal drawings (Figs. 1-21);
- 4. Copy of the Formalities Letter;
- 5. Request for Correction of Filing Receipt;
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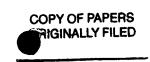
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